

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA COUNTY**

IN THE MATTER OF THE )  
ESTABLISHMENT OF )  
ELIMINATION OF MINUTE )  
ENTRIES TASK FORCE FOR )  
FAMILY COURT )  
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
NO. 2001-032

Whereas, the continued explosive population growth of Maricopa County has resulted in the increasing case filings in the Maricopa County Superior Court, and

Whereas, increasing case filings has resulted in rapid increase in Maricopa County's historic minute entry recording system, creating multiple minute entries that are entered into computer systems, filed and mailed, and

Whereas, the Clerk of Court and the Presiding Judge of Maricopa County have conferred and agreed that the Court reexamine how it conducts its business and, where possible, eliminate minute entries, which will save costs, streamline business practices and free up resources for more modern case management systems,

**IT IS ORDERED:**

1. The associate presiding judge, Honorable Mark W. Armstrong, shall chair a task force for the family court department, which will work toward the elimination of minute entries in family court cases.
2. Members on the task force, to be selected by the chair, shall include the Clerk of the Court or his designee, the Court Administrator or his designee, member of the affected bars, and others selected by the task force chair.
3. The task force shall recommend to the presiding judge of Maricopa County any rule changes required implementing any new systems.

DATED this 23rd day of April 2001.

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Honorable Colin F. Campbell  
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court

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